

BCRPVPA SCHOLARSHIP/BURSARY

The British Columbia Retired Principals' and Vice-Principals' Association (BCRPVPA) awards 4 scholarships/bursaries, in the amount of \$1000 each, to students who graduate from the BC public school system and who are continuing their education at an accredited post-secondary institution in British Columbia.

Applicants who are pursuing education in trades, technical fields, art, design, theatre, dance, music, as well as those entering university and colleges, are encouraged to apply. Applicants will be judged on their demonstrated leadership, service activities, and academic achievements within their school and their community. The financial need of applicants will also be considered.

We recognize that some students plan a 'gap' year and those students should apply the year in which they enroll in a post-secondary program.

Application Requirements (please submit in this order):

1. A completed application form.
2. The checklist provided.
3. A short essay (not more than a page) indicating leadership and service roles held in your school and community as well as your post-secondary aspirations. This essay could also include an indication of financial need.
4. A letter of reference from a staff member at your school.
5. A letter of reference from a staff member at a community organization that addresses your involvement with the organization.
6. A copy of the Ministry of Education's official transcript of final grades. (This document is issued to you in August from the Ministry of Education.)
7. Proof of paid registration at a BC Educational site – i.e., a copy of your tuition fee receipt or a letter from the Office of the Registrar to be forwarded when fees are paid. (Note – a letter of acceptance is not considered proof of registration.)

Application Deadline:

All completed application packages must be mailed, sent by courier, or hand-delivered on or before the final Friday in September. Faxed submissions are not accepted.

Please mail your completed application to:

BC Retired Principals' and Vice-Principals' Association
#200 – 525 West 10th Avenue
Vancouver BC V5Z 1K9

Successful applicants will be notified via email by the end of October.

BCRPVPA Scholarship/Bursary Application Form

(Please attach this form as the first page of your package.)

PART I – PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Full Name: _____

Full Mailing Address: (Include street, city, and postal code.)

Social Insurance Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Secondary School Name: _____

School District Number And Name: _____

PART II – SCHOOL REFEREE:

Individual's Name: _____

Individual's Position: _____

Work Telephone Number: _____

Work Email Address: _____

PART III – COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION REFEREE:

Name of Organization: _____

Individual's Name: _____

Individual's Position: _____

Work Telephone Number: _____

Work Email Address: _____

BCRPVPA SCHOLARHIP/BURSARY CHECKLIST

(This is the second page of your package.)

FULL NAME: _____

Have you included:

1. A completed application form? _____
2. This checklist? _____
3. A short essay (not more than a page) indicating leadership and service roles held in your school and community as well as your post-secondary aspirations? _____ (This essay could also include an indication of financial need.)
4. A letter of reference from a staff member at your school? _____
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6. A copy of the Ministry of Education's official transcript of final grades? _____ (This document is issued to you in August from the Ministry of Education.)
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Have you arranged your documents in the above order? _____

Have you considered the deadline? _____ Documents must be received by the BCRPVPA on or before the final Friday of September in the year that you enroll at a post-secondary institution.

If there are any additions or omissions from your package, please explain in this space:

**** My application must arrive on or before the date of Sept ____ 20 __.**